

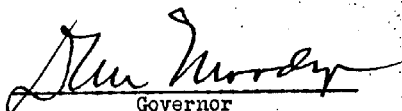
REPRODUCED FROM THE  
HOLDINGS OF THE  
TEXAS STATE ARCHIVES

H. B. No. 7

I hereby veto House Bill No. 7, being "AN ACT prohibiting the sale or offer for sale, transportation, preparation, receiving or delivery for transportation or marketing of citrus fruit that is immature, unripe, over-ripe, frost damaged or otherwise unfit for consumption and the sale thereof declared to be a fraud upon the public; defining terms; prescribing the power and duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture with regard to the provisions of this Act; providing for the enforcement thereof and prescribing penalties for violation of any of the provisions of this Act".

This Bill is vetoed for the reason that certain sections of it attempt to delegate legislative functions in violation of the Constitution of this State, ~~and~~ as more fully set out in an opinion of the Attorney General's Department, which is attached hereto.

For the reasons, above set out, I hereby veto said Bill.

  
Governor

April 2, 1927.